

mates could do little with Cooper. Carey drove in the lone Pirate run with a triple.

Brooklyn batted hard in the eighth inning, making four runs to tie the Pifeds. McDonald of Pittsburgh got a double and triple. Murphy, Evans and Gagner of Brooklyn each batted two important hits.

The latest rumor regarding jumping athletes and the Federal League is that seven members of the Cincinnati Reds are prepared to hop to the Feds in the event the third circuit is successful in the litigation over the services of Chief Johnson, who signed with the Kansas City Federals.

If the court tomorrow upholds the Feds in signing Johnson the seven players, it is understood, will immediately desert organized ball for various teams in the Federal. They will be distributed to bolster up some of the teams who have made weak showings to date.

The names of the players were not given out, but it is said that Tom Clarke and Rube Benton, the best Red battery, acted as spokesmen for the dissatisfied gents in a conference with Rebel Oakes, acting manager of the Pittsburgh outlaws. Oakes showed them where the coin was coming from, and the sturdy athletes were properly impressed by the jingle.

Junior managers held their regular meeting at South Clark street last night and a big list of games was booked for next Sunday. Following are the games scheduled: Western Colts and Millers, at Thirty-first street and California avenue; Grandmothers and Lake Shores, at foot of Chicago avenue; Locals and Villas, at Humboldt park; Troy and Hamlin Feds, at Kedzie and Waveland avenues; Grabs and Petersens, at Fiftieth avenue and Sixteenth street; Camp Annex and Waddells, at Grand Crossing; Besidas and Lawndales, at Twenty-sixth street and Forty-fourth avenue; Federals and Speed Boys, at foot of Van Buren street; Locals and Powers Bros., at Humboldt park; Di-

visions and Colonials, at Humboldt park; Harry Hatters and Hardings, at Elston and Western avenues; Progress and Deerfoots, at Humboldt; Fullers, at Niles Center; Tadellos and Sterlings, at Washington park; Beldens and Orioles, at McKinley park; Arrows and Rydells, at Hardin square; Erbatels and Crystals, at Austin avenue and Division street.

STEVE PUT OFF HIS LIL' OL' JOKE



THEN THE EXPLOSION!

By Fullerton.

Ted Sullivan, the official after-dinner orator with the White Sox and the Giants going around the world, was too wily for the jesters of the party. Steve Evans determined to get Ted.

When the teams reached Paris, Steve drew Ted aside and said: "Mr. Sullivan, I do not want to be a trouble maker or to talk about anyone, but, confidentially, speaking to you as manager of this tour, I'd like to ask something."

"That's right," said Ted. "You're right. Never knock. What is it you want to know?"

"I wanted to find out what right the Dutchmen with this party have to hold a meeting by themselves and vote that we go to play in Germany instead of in Ireland?"

Then the explosion.